

## Sierra Valley Groundwater Basin Sustainable Groundwater Management Act (SGMA) Implementation 2019-2022 SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

**Acronyms:**

- PT= GSP Project Team
- GSA= Groundwater Sustainability Agency(ies)—Referring to SVGMD and Plumas County
- Sub= SVGMD Board Subcommittee
- C= Consultant(s)
- DWR= California Department of Water Resources
- TSS= Technical Support Services Program (DWR)
- PW= Public Workshop

Month/Year	Meetings/Milestones	Key Topics & Actions
January 2019	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GSP Project Team (monthly)</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. PT: Clarify GSP Work Plan priorities and next steps</li> <li>2. PT: Refine work plan to incorporate draft GSP development progress</li> </ol>
February 2019	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GSP Project Team (monthly)</li> <li>• SVGMD Board Meeting (monthly)</li> <li>• Tribal-FS Meeting</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. GSA: Approve coordination agreement between SVGMD and Plumas County</li> <li>2. PT: Review GSP draft sections (Chapter 1 and Land Subsidence) to help identify data, technical, and resource gaps to inform development of GSP grant application work plan.</li> </ol>
March-April 2019	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GSP Project Team (monthly)</li> <li>• SVGMD Board Meeting (monthly)</li> <li>• SVGMD Board Planning Subcommittee</li> <li>• Initiating Planning Grant</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. C: Bachand &amp; Associates recharge study report findings presentation to SVGMD Board of Directors at March board meeting.</li> <li>2. PT/GSA: GSP Project team present preliminary subsidence presentation to the SVGMD Board of Directors at April Board meeting.</li> </ol>
May-August 2019	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GSP Project Team (monthly)</li> <li>• SVGMD Board Meeting (monthly)</li> <li>• SVGMD Board Planning Subcommittee                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Defining Programs and Priorities for funding</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Finalizing Planning Grant</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. PT with Burkhard Bohm: Compile existing basin setting information (technical information associated with basin conditions) to compare to GSP requirements and identify data, technical, and resource gaps to inform development of GSP grant proposal.</li> <li>2. C/PT/Sub: Establish schedule for subcommittee meetings (to begin meeting in June).</li> <li>3. PT/Sub/GSA: Present PSP requirements and activities and timeline for completion of proposal to SVGMD Board of Directors at June-July Board meetings.</li> <li>4. PT: Prepare draft comments to DWR on draft PSP</li> <li>5. C/PT: Release of groundwater study report and GSP Project Team review (June).</li> <li>6. PT/GSA: Present draft PSP comments to SVGMD at June</li> </ol>

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		board meeting and receive input. 7. PT/GSA: Incorporate SVGMD and Plumas County comments and finalize comments on draft PSP and submit to DWR. 8. DWR: Release Phase 2 final Basin Prioritization results. 9. TSS (GSA/DWR): Complete agreement with landowners for entry permit on land for TSS multi-completion well installation. 10. TSS (GSA/DWR): Complete environmental documentation for TSS multi-completion well application.
September-October 2019	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● GSP Project Team (monthly)</li> <li>● SVGMD Board Planning Subcommittee</li> <li>● SVGMD Board Meeting (monthly)</li> </ul>	1. TSS (DWR): Prepare agreements with landowner, drilling contractor, SVGMD. 2. TSS: Begin construction on multi-completion well. 3. DWR: Release of final PSP for GSP planning grant program (release date 9/9/19). 4. C/PT/GSA/Sub: Attend DWR informational webinar (9/18/19), draft GSP grant proposal, present progress updates and receive input and comments at SVGMD monthly board meetings and subcommittee meetings, incorporate GSA input. 5. Pass SVGMD board resolution for GSP planning grant submission (October SVGMD board meeting).
November-December 2019	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● GSP Project Team</li> <li>● SVGMD Board Meeting</li> <li>● Public Workshop</li> </ul>	1. Submit GSP planning grant to DWR (November 1, 2019). 2. GSA/PT: Plan for fall public workshop. 3. PW: Tentative Public workshop (late November/early December).
January-March 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● GSP Project Team (note-committee structure may be redefined at this point)</li> <li>● SVGMD Board Meeting</li> </ul>	1. GSA/DWR: If awarded GSP grant, work with DWR on contracting. 2. GSA/PT: Draft and review RFP(s) for any needed GSP consulting services as per the GSP grant application and determine process for consultant selection. 3. C/PT/GSA: Monitoring protocols 4. C/PT/GSA: Maps 5. C/PT/GSA: Water Resource Monitoring and Management Programs 6. DWR: Release Project Solicitation Package for GSP Implementation Grants.
April-June 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● GSP Project Team</li> <li>● SVGMD Board Meeting</li> <li>● SGMA Public Workshop</li> </ul>	1. GSA/PT: Finalize RFP(s) for consulting services and release. 2. GSA/PT: Respond to consulting team questions before proposal submission. 3. GSA: Receive consultant proposals, conduct interviews and select consultant(s). 4. GSA: Contract with selected consultant(s) 5. C/PT/GSA: Description of Plan Area 6. C/PT/GSA: Draft Basin Setting results 7. C/PT/GSA: Monitoring networks 8. PW: Stakeholder feedback on basin

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July-September 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GSP Project Team</li> <li>• SVGMD Board Meeting</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. C/PT/GSA: Land use elements and plans</li> <li>2. C/PT/GSA: Additional GSP Elements including, but not limited to, impacts on Groundwater Dependent Ecosystems</li> </ol>
October-December 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GSP Project Team</li> <li>• SVGMD Board Meeting</li> <li>• SGMA Public Workshop</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. C/PT/GSA: Representative monitoring</li> <li>2. C/PT/GSA/PW: Sustainability goal</li> <li>3. C/PT/GSA/PW: Measurable objectives</li> <li>4. C/PT/GSA/PW: Minimum Thresholds</li> </ol>
January-March 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GSP Project Team</li> <li>• SVGMD Board Meeting</li> <li>• SGMA Public Workshop</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. C/PT/GSA: Assessment and improvement of monitoring network</li> <li>2. C/PT/GSA: Sustainability goal</li> <li>3. C/PT/GSA: Measurable objectives (what conditions are desirable)</li> <li>4. C/PT/GSA: Minimum Thresholds (what conditions are unacceptable)</li> <li>5. C/PT/GSA/PW: Projects and Management Actions</li> </ol>
April-June 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GSP Project Team</li> <li>• SVGMD Board Meeting</li> <li>• SGMA Public Workshop</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. C/PT/GSA: Projects and Management Actions</li> <li>2. C/PT/GSA/PW: Draft GSP for public Comment</li> </ol>
July-September 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GSP Project Team</li> <li>• SVGMD Board Meeting</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. C/PT/GSA: Response to public comments</li> </ol>
October-December 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GSP Project Team</li> <li>• SVGMD Board Meeting</li> <li>• SGMA Public Workshop</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. C: Incorporate public comments and prepare final review draft GSP</li> <li>2. PT/GSA: Final review of GSP</li> <li>3. C: Prepare final draft of GSP</li> <li>4. GSA: GSAs adopt resolutions in support of GSP</li> </ol>
January 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GSP Project Team</li> <li>• SVGMD Board Meeting</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. GSA: Submit GSP to DWR via SGMA Portal</li> </ol>

Figure 1. GSP Grant Application Preparation Timeline

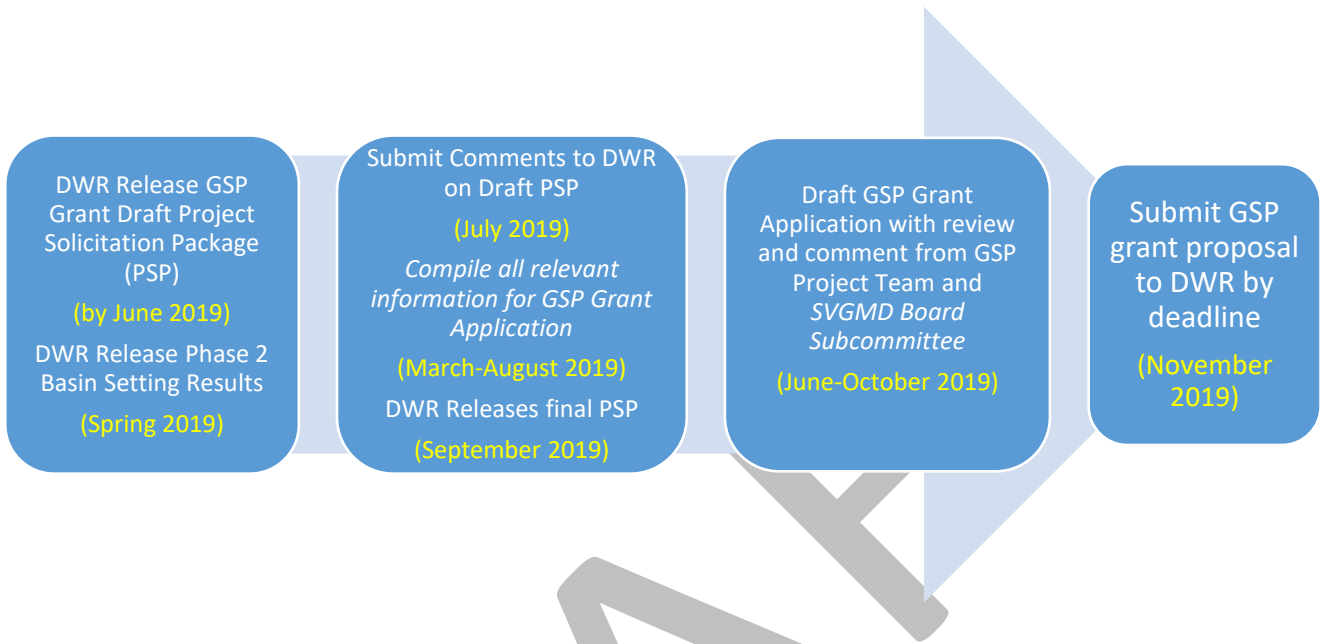


Figure 2. GSP Planning Grant Application Organization

## Planning Grant Application Organization

